

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1-35. (Cancelled)

36. (Currently Amended) An article for holding a surface relief and forming an integrated part of a container, said article comprising:

a holding metal substrate,

a first layer of non-metallic material being held by the substrate, said first layer of non-metallic material being adapted to hold at least one surface relief, formed in the surface of said first layer, said surface relief comprising a diffracting optical element,

a color layer provided on the surface of the metal substrate for enhancing the visual effects, the first layer of non-metallic material being provided on the surface of the color ~~layers~~ layer, and

~~color in the~~ wherein surface relief is performed as a part of the rolling process or ~~an end in a~~ stamping process.

37. (Canceled)

38. (Previously Presented) An article according to claim 36, wherein the first layer of non-metallic material is selected from the group consisting of lacquers, polymers, printing inks or any combination thereof.

39. (Previously Presented) An article according to claim 36, further comprising a second layer, said second layer being substantially transparent and covering at least part of the first layer of non-metallic material.

40. (Previously Presented) An article according to claim 39, wherein the second layer is selected from the group consisting of lacquers, polymers, laminated plastic, printing inks or any combination thereof.

41. (Previously Presented) An article according to claim 39, wherein the refractive index of the first layer of non-metallic material and the second layer is different.

42. (Canceled)

43. (Previously Presented) An article according to claim 36, wherein the container is a food container.

44. (Previously Presented) An article according to claim 36, wherein the container is a beverage container.